

## Annual Open House Draws Many Visitors

By LAWANNA WALKER

Annual Open House at UTMB was held April 4. Classes were dismissed to give way to the planned program of the day. Open House is an annual affair when the University is put before the public, especially high school seniors, for visitation and examination. A full day's program was arranged, starting at 8:45 and lasting until late that afternoon.

Registration began at 8:45. After each visitor had registered, he was taken on a guided tour of our campus by student guides. The people who arrived during the early part of the morning had the opportunity to see the college movie as part of their tour.

Free lunch was served to all students and guests at 11:30. The entertainment program was planned during the lunch hour so that it might be enjoyed while eating lunch. Master of ceremonies was All Student Club President Dan Arnold.

Music was played by members of the college band. During the program, Dean Paul Meek welcomed visitors to the University. The Physical Education Department was represented by women's acrobatic stunts, men's tumbling, folk dancing and a special tap dance duet, and from the Music Department came the chorus, sextet, and other musical groups.

Following the program, the ROTC units were on review in a parade on the Athletic Field.

Another event of the day was a typing contest with special recognition given the winners.

The final event of the day included visits to the various departments and points of interest.

Each department was responsible for the exhibits of its department. These displays proved interesting for students as well as visitors.

All of the buildings were open for public inspection since this is truly a day to acquaint people with what the University of Tennessee Martin Branch has to offer. Not only did it give high school seniors opportunity to see the campus, but parents had an opportunity to see the surroundings and accomplishments made here.

Although regular classes did not meet, each student was urged to cooperate in making Open House 1957 a success. Many students were assigned specific duties, but every student and faculty member participated in the job of making the visitors feel at home on our campus.

Mr. J. O. Jones, over-all chairman, stated that in view of weather conditions, attendance was very good. He added that "those people who served on the various committees, as it is this kind of cooperation which makes these events successful." Among those serving on committees, Miss Aaltje Van Denburg was responsible for invitations; Mr. James Henson, program; Mr. Wayne Tansil, publicity; Dr. Paul Starks, food; Miss Anna Creekmore and Mr. J. Robert Swain, registration; and Billy Gossett, student guides chairman.

About eighteen hundred invitations were sent to various parts of Tennessee, especially in West Tennessee.

## THEA Convention Held In Memphis

The Tennessee Home Economics Association Convention was held in Memphis beginning at dinner Friday, April 5, and lasted through breakfast, Sunday, April 7. The theme of this year's convention was "Where Do We Stand."

The THEA Convention is held annually and the place of meeting rotates for East, Middle, and West Tennessee. Last year East Tennessee played host to the convention at Chattanooga.

UTMB boasts four members of the Tennessee Home Economics Association. They are: Miss Aaltje Van Denburg, chairman of the Arts and Crafts section; Miss Ann Creekmore, chairman of Textiles and Clothing section; Miss Mary Ida Flowers, vice-president of West Tennessee; and Miss Dixie Dyer, president of the State College Club Section. They left Friday morning, April 5, in order to attend the executive board meeting.

Other Home Economics Club members attending are: Lawanna Walker, Margie Jowers, Pat Kirk, Grace Simmons, Martha Phillips, Joyce Bizzelle, Eleanor Gresham, Jane McMaster, Ann McHugh, and Miss Ruby Whitehead, sponsor.

## Typing Contest Here Draws Large Number

Business Club Is  
Sponsor For Event

The annual Typewriting Contest was held last Thursday with a record number of entries. The contest is sponsored by the UTMB Business Club. It is divided into upper and lower divisions for second and first year high school students.

Prizes were as follows: Upper Division: first, wrist watch; second, clock and desk set; third, fountain pen; and fourth, purse. Lower Division: first, wrist watch; second, table lamp; third, \$10; and fourth, brief case.

The test consisted of a 10-minute timed writing period and a 25 minute period of letter production work. The tests in the two divisions were similar, but that in the upper division was of a more difficult nature.

Winners will be announced when final checking and tabulation of individual work and scores have been completed.

Schools entering one or both divisions were: Dresden, Brighton, Troy, Springfield, Medina, Decatur Co., Tiptonville, Huntingdon, Bradford, Camden, Cloverdale, Beech Bluff, North Side (Jackson), Lawrence, So. Fulton, Obion, Martin, Big Sandy, Trezevant, Waverly, Ridgely, Parsons, Friendship, Kenton, Hornbeak, Newbern, Gibson, Union City, Milan, Palmersville, Bells, Spring Hill, Central (Savannah), Haywood Co., and McKenzie.

## Speech and Drama League Will Meet Here On April 13

By BETTY SAMPLE

The Tennessee High School Speech and Drama League will meet at the University of Tennessee Martin Branch on Saturday, April 13. The following schools will participate: Humboldt, Martin, Dresden, Troy, Cloverdale, Obion, and Paris. General session and all other contests except one-act plays will be held in the ABL building.

The meeting is held annually on the UTMB campus under the sponsorship of the English Department. Mr. Harry H. Kroll is general chairman. Winners in the individual and group categories are eligible for the state finals, which will be held at U-T, Knoxville.

8:30, General session, Room 200, ABL. Welcome by Dean Paul Meek.

9:00, Contests begin at assigned rooms.

Debate Room 200. Judges, Mr. Smith, Mr. King, Mr. Tansil; Chairman, Peggy Weatherly.

Extemporaneous Public Speaking Room 210. Judge, Mrs. Payne; Chairman, Doris Hettinger.

Original Oratory for Boys, Room 211. Judge, Mrs. Parrish; Chairman, Sandra Roush.

Original Oratory for Girls, Room 222. Judge, Mr. Baker; Chairman, Rosemary Turner.

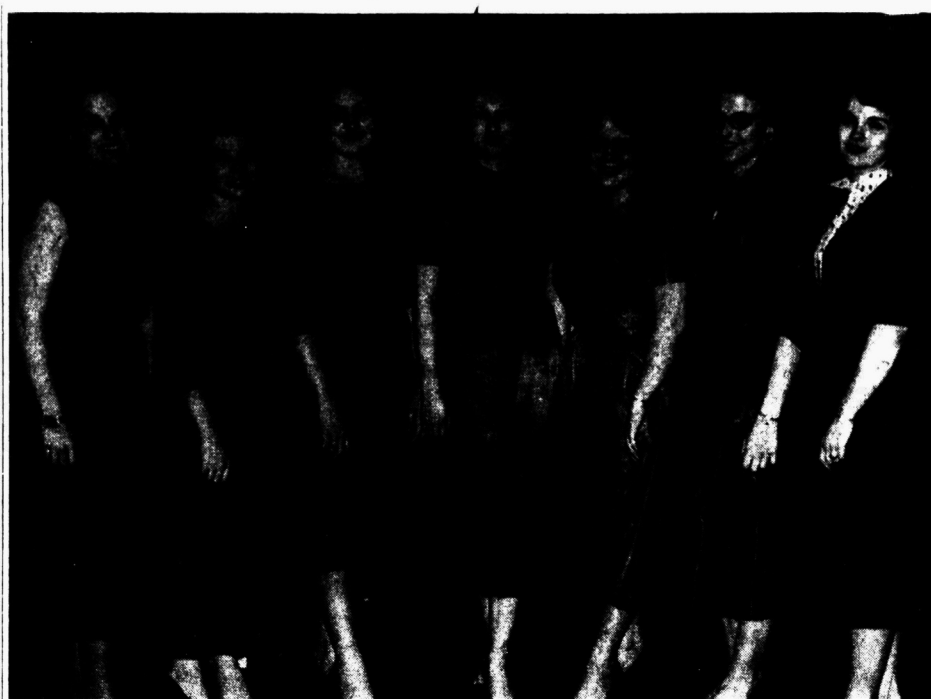
Declamation, Room 223. Judge, Mr. Ferris; Chairman, Betty Sample.

Humorous Reading, Main library. Judge, Mr. Kroll; Chairman, Martha Thorne.

Dramatic Reading, Room 224. Judge, Mr. Chenette; Chairman, Betty Bolton.

Oral Interpretation of Poetry, Room 225. Judge, Dr. Wilson; Chairman, Ruth Coltharp.

Acted Drama, Little Theatre bldg. Judge, Mr. Swain; Chairman, Betty Lynn Privett.



Members of the Girls' Sextet Plus One will be featured at tonight's Music Department Production, CROSS COUNTRY CHORALE. Shown here are Rita Wiley, Peggy Weatherly, Bettye Privett, Linda Ross, Betty Nelius, Beth Goff, and Ruth Caldwell.

## Cross Country Chorale To Be Given Tonight

Climb aboard, all you UTMBers, for the greatest, gayest musical variety show yet presented on our campus. *Cross Country Chorale*, featuring both old and new songs from all over America, will be presented by the UTMB Chorus April 9 in the gymnasium.

Conducting this musical tour of the nation is Miss Harriet Fulton, and the accompanist is Jan Von Almen. Special numbers by the girls' sextet plus one—Bettye Lynn Privett, Rita Wiley, Peggy Weatherly, Ruth Caldwell, Beth Goff, Linda Ross, and Betty Nelius and those by the male quartet—Tom Boone, Bill Strickland, Douglas Haynes, and John Taylor, promise to be well worth hearing. The other members of the chorus are John Baker, Norma Jean Bedwell, Jamie Brown, Mary Kathryn Carrington, Kenneth Franks, Mary Elizabeth Grabel, Billy Metcalf, C. C. McCall, Betty Miles, Barbara Norman, Carol Oliver, Gordon Pafford, Rex Patterson, Jerry Riddick, Norma Schwam, Ann Stanford, Elizabeth Walker, and Gayle Williams.

The journey begins appropriately enough with "I Hear America Singing," a musical adaptation of the poem by Walt Whitman. Beginning with Broadway Ballad, Bettye Lynn Privett and Douglas Haynes combine their talents to sing "Alice Blue Gown." "A Pretty Girl Is Like a Melody," and "I'm in Love with a Wonderful Guy." Winding up the trip to Broadway is a truly theatrical rendition of "Lullaby of Broadway."

The chorus then boards the *Smoky Mountain Express* and heads for the mountain section of the country, where they sing about the grandeur of "Mountains." This is followed by the sextet singing "Poor Wayfaring Stranger," with soloist Rita Wiley. No mountain medley would be complete without a good old hillbilly number, and Melvin Humphreys provides just

that in the next number on the program.

Then the male quartet steps up with the heart-rending "Careless Love." One of the highlights of the show appears next on the program—Kay Pritchett and Ann Stanford entertain with their top-notch tap dance to "Little Brown Jug." Completing this series is a typical mountain ballad, "Sourwood Mountain."

The *Dixieland Special* then takes on to the Southland and our own Tennessee, where "The Tennessee Waltz" is sung by the chorus with Gayle Williams, C. C. McCall, and Douglas Haynes dancing in a very realistic interpretation of the song. Next the boys get their gals and load up on the wagon for a rollicking "Louisiana Hayride." A request for a song on the hayride produces "Dry Bones" by the quartet. This naturally leads to a familiar Negro spiritual sung by the group "Let My People Go."

From the sunny South the musical tour turns west on *Overland Limited* and provides a melodious view of the "Prairie at Evening." Then the sextet travels down Mexico way to "Begin the Beguine." When they return, they are joined around the campfire by the chorus who tell in song about the day's work "Along the Navajo Trail." This is followed by a medley of cowboy song featuring our old partners Tom Boone and the rest of the quartet. An old favorite, "Red River Valley," with solo parts by Tom and Bettye Privett, winds up our tour, and the program is homebound with a jubilant rendition of Gershwin's "Swanee."

Concluding the program is a number entitled "O Sing Your Songs."

Plan now to enjoy this program packed full of nothing but purely pleasing music. Don't miss *Cross Country Chorale*!

## Portrait Of Dean To Be Presented

A portrait of Dean Paul Meek will officially be presented to UTMB in the near future. The portrait will be presented to the Martin Branch by the All-Students Clubs, which commissioned it some months ago.

It is expected that Dr. C. E. Brehm, president of the University, will be present for the ceremony. Numerous other civic leaders, legislators, and educators of the area served by UTMB are also expected to be present. The student body and faculty will also attend.

Tentative arrangements are to have the portrait presented to the school April 30 in the gymnasium. It will then be hung in an appropriate location.

## Spring Enrollment Passes 700 Mark

The spring quarter enrollment for 1956-57 has reached 704, according to Mrs. Myrtle H. Phillips, registrar. This is only an increase of 21 over last year's 683 for spring quarter enrollment. In comparison with the winter quarter enrollment, there is a drop of 61 students.

The decrease in enrollment is due partly to 14 of the 44 seniors who finished their winter quarter. As our college continues to grow, this will become more and more the picture because a number of students now begin any quarter of the school term, therefore they will finish at different quarters. However, the majority will enter the fall quarter with a decrease usually in enrollment for winter and spring quarters.

## New Faces Added To UTMB Faculty

Returning to the campus again this spring is Miss Anna H. O'Connor, Assistant Professor in Home Management. Every spring Miss O'Connor comes to UTMB from Knoxville to conduct a course in home nursing. This year she has added the duties of directing the Home Management House.

A new-comer to the Biology Department for the duration of the spring quarter is Mr. Ray Spann, a former student with a Master's Degree from the University of Tennessee. Mr. Spann, just now being released from the armed service, will fill the vacancy in Biology made by Dr. Graham J. Davis.

Dr. Davis has resigned his position here to accept a position in research in Plant Physiology with the United States Department of Agriculture and will be stationed in Hawaii.

## Librarian Accepts New Position

James Parrish, member of the library staff the past 25 months, has resigned his position. Mr. Parrish will leave within the near future for a position with the Air University Library at Maxwell Air Force Base in Montgomery, Alabama. Mr. Parrish will work in the reference department of the huge library which has a staff of 140 persons.

Leslie M. Gower will replace Mr. Parrish at UTMB, according to Don Ferris, librarian. Mr. Gower received his M.A. in Library Science in 1955 from George Peabody College. His B.S. degree is from Austin Peay. Mr. Gower is married and has two children. He is a veteran of World War II and is a member of the Baptist Church. He will assume his duties early in May.

## Vol Baseball Team Opens Season Today

The UTMB Vols open the baseball season this afternoon when they play Freed-Hardeman College at Henderson. Word was received this morning from Henderson that the game would be played as scheduled.

The starting lineup for the Vols in the first regularly scheduled baseball game in school history will have Burton pitching and Davis catching. Coach Chenette announced the rest of the starting lineup will have Riddick at first, Bob Joyner at second, Dean Hickey at third, and Bill Joyner at short. The starting outfield will be Galbreath in left, Tyson in center, and Penn in right.

Other players making the trip are Bruff, Shanklin, Reasons, Ivy, Crossnoe, Thomas, Rushing, Fields, and Hummel.

The Vols will play at Paducah Thursday and will play their home opener Thursday afternoon, April 18, against Freed-Hardeman.

## ASC Election Is Held Today

Today was election day for the ASC of UTMB. At the ASC meeting last Tuesday night, nominations were made for the staff officers of the All-Student Clubs for next year. By this time, four votes have been cast and are waiting to be counted, but before the final news is given perhaps you would like to know something of each of the people nominated. Being nominated for an office of the UTMB student body is an asset at a time and all their nominees have expressed their appreciation for this acknowledgment.

## 'Curious Savage' Is Planned By Theater

The CURIOUS SAVAGE, the spring quarter production of UTMB's Vanguard Theater. The play, a modern comedy with social implications, will be given for three nights April 15, 16, and 17. The play revolves around the "curious savage," Mrs. Savage and her \$10 million, which she desires to give to various worthy causes. Her three children, wishing to get the money for themselves, have her committed to a sanitarium, and it is there that most of the action occurs.

Comic situations result in the clashes between Mrs. Savage, various staff members, inmates, and her children. At the same time, social implications are brought out in the sanity of Mrs. Savage and in the selfishness and greed of the outside world as represented by her three children.

The title role will be portrayed by Mary C. Carrington. Her three children, Titus, Samuel, and Lilly Belle, are played by Jimmy Townsend, Bobby Holcomb, and Emily Welch. Dr. Emmett, whose decision it is as to hold or release Mrs. Savage, is played by Jimmy Dallas. Others in the cast are Beverly Fletcher, Donald LaFont, Nancy Peeples, Kellie Lowe, Myrt Dorsett, and Mary Grabel.

Stage manager is Douglas Chandler. Set designs are by Dan Arnold, with lighting by Douglas Chandler. The entire production is under the direction of Mr. J. Robert Swain.

Tickets will go on sale Thursday in Mr. Swain's office in the Administration Building. Prices are 50 cents for students and \$1 for adults.

## Mathematics Contest To Be Here April 12

By LAWANNA WALKER

A division of the First Annual Statewide Mathematics Contest will be held on the campus at 2 p.m. April 12. This region includes Lake Union, Weakley, Henry, Dyer, Gibson, Carroll, and Benton counties.

The contest is being sponsored by the Tennessee Teachers of Mathematics Association. The chairman of this part of West Tennessee is Mr. J. O. Jones of the Engineering Department.

Each high school administers its own tests and is entitled to two entrants in each division. Besides these two representatives, those students who achieve exceptionally high scores may participate. The contest is divided into Algebra I, Algebra II, Plane Geometry, and Comprehensive Mathematics. Each division is set up on individual rules and qualifications. The winners will receive awards and be entitled to compete further in the contest.

It is the aim of this contest to be an academic festival wherein mathematics students can gather in a relaxed but highly competitive atmosphere. It is not set up to be a measuring instrument for checking performance of students, teachers, and schools.

## SOPHOMORE SOCIAL SET FOR SATURDAY

Fun, food, and frivolity will be in store for the Sophomore Class as they have their Spring Quarter social next Saturday. On the agenda beginning at five o'clock will be a picnic in the Grove. The girls of the class will furnish the sandwiches and the men will be providing the drinks. The class will be in charge of all the extras. Immediately following the picnic portion of the social will be dancing and recreation on the tennis courts.

The social is for members of the Sophomore Class and their dates.

Nominated for the tremendous job of president were two very capable men of our campus, Jimmy Townsend and Jere Freeman. Although Jimmy is only a freshman, his popularity has been on the increase since his arrival at the UTMB campus. This past winter, Jimmy has served as the president of the Business Club and when he was in high school he was a member of every organization except the Future Homemakers of America. Last year he was Tennessee's representative to National Student Congress held in Oklahoma. An introduction to Jere Freeman is not necessary. We all know Jere is one of the hardest working, most conscientious students on our campus. Jere, a resident of Martin, has been the very capable president of the Junior Class this year and was also elected a Campus Leader. The Ag Club hails Jere as one of their finest and he has served in various capacities in this, his curriculum club.

The two students nominated for the office of right hand man to the president, vice-president, were L. B. Marshall and Johnny Fowler. Neither of these students needs to be introduced to the UTMB student body. Both have shown their capabilities as leaders by serving in various capacities on our campus. L. B. has been a very active member of the YF&H and has served as president and vice-president of that organization. He also was elected secretary-treasurer of the Men's Dorm last year. We all know L. B. as one of the most school-spirited, enthusiastic students on the campus. Johnny Fowler has held the tremendous job of president of the Men's Dorm and from all reports, did a wonderful job of it. He was rewarded for this by being elected as a Campus Leader this year. Johnny is a backbone of his curriculum, Ag, and is known to be one of its most dependable members.

Nominated for the job of keeping the records straight and keeping up with our money were Lawanna Walker and Barbara Brooks. Lawanna has held many offices and titles in her three years on the Martin campus. She has served as Barnwarrin' Queen, Campus Leader and Beauty, and this year has been secretary of the Junior Class. Delta Phi Delta hails Lawanna as one of their finest and is awfully proud that this young lady from Savannah came their way.

Barbara has served as president of Nu Kappa Nu this year and as co-editor of the *UTMB Volettine*. Having from Elvis Town (Memphis) Barbara is also a member of the ETA, her curriculum club.

We have attempted to give you a picture of the candidates you were voting for this morning and think that you will agree, too.

Regardless of the outcome of the election, there won't be a loser.

## Polgar Will Perform Here On April 16

By PEGGY WILLIAMS

On April 16 at 1 p.m. at the UTMB gym, Dr. Frank J. Polgar will present "Miracles of the Mind." Noted for his vast knowledge of hypnosis, Dr. Polgar will perform memory feats, telepathy and hypnosis.

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There will be no admission price and everyone is urged to attend this unusual and entertaining program.



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### MORE SCHOOL SPIRIT NEEDED

By BARBARA BROOKS

A reputation as one of the most friendly campuses in Tennessee, growing departments of education and business, one of the best faculties of any university anywhere—boy, do we have a lot to be proud of! A lot to have more than our share of school spirit about!

Sometimes in the hustle and bustle of the daily activities here at UTMB, we are prone to forget this matter of school spirit. You say, "Just what is school spirit?" That's easy. It's simply doing our part! And really, that's even easier. There are so many activities which we have opportunities to participate in, that there's bound to be some organization or club that that was made just for us. All we have to do is find it! Of course, it's up to us to support these other organizations in their functions when we have the opportunity to do so. Nothing is so disheartening as practicing diligently for a program, then having an audience of about 20, to see your efforts in bloom. Recently, at our band concert, the audience was wonderful—it just needed to be tripled! The band was superb, as was the girls' sextet. They really proved themselves to be something of which UTMB should be proud!

Right now at this time, especially, school spirit should be growing within us by leaps and bounds. Our school is one of Tennessee's fastest growing educational institutions and we must grow with it. Those of us who are planning to attend UTMB next year, especially us girls, ought to be awfully excited and enthused about UTMB's growing pains. How bad these growing pains are, is going to depend on us. It seems to me that we ought to be awfully proud that we're going to be a part of the growth that's just beginning to take place.

A school is her students and the best publicity for a school is her students; and a student's best advertisement is school spirit. It's not hard to get, and we're no exception. We have all the materials necessary—a great student body, capable leaders, and an understanding faculty. All that's needed is YOU.

LET'S DO OUR PART!



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OPENS THURSDAY, APRIL 11



The College Band made its first concert appearance recently in a concert at the UTMB Gym. The band has performed at numerous athletic events, but this was the first formal concert. A large and appreciative audience heard the program, which was directed by Mr. J. L. Taylor.

### What's Your Answer, Please?

By JANE MOSLEY

QUESTION: What are your symptoms of spring fever?

Bettye Lynn Privett: It makes me want to see the boyfriend.

Martha Thorne: Wishing for a letter or letters.

Lewis Larsen: Spring has sprung and grass has ris'. I'm wondering where my "Jo" is.

Frank Williams: None—it doesn't bother me any more.

Betty Miles: The urge to do less studying and more moving.

Margaret Finch: Wanting to spend more time with him.

Billy Smith: Aches and pains—spring training has started.

D. D. Coppedge: Can't seem to stay awake in class.

Dot Floyd: Makes me want to go on another diet.

Jennie McBride: Tennis racket blisters and sore muscles.

Jimmy Dallas: Girls look better than ever!

James Jones: Go fishing!

Sue Rich: Day dreaming all the time.

Janice Darnell: Just want to loaf all time.

Jimmy Townsend: Strong disillusionment caused by members of the opposite sex!

Thomas Call: Watching the "birds and the bees."

Joyce Thomason: Love to get out and walk!

Robbie McMinn: Go fishin'!

Jerry Staveland: Hating to study.

Joyce Owen: Lazy never want to go to bed, and when I get there, never want to get up.

### Nineteen Students Here On Co-op Plan In Spring Quarter

By WAYNE SMITH

Mr. James O. Jones reports nineteen students participating in the Engineering Co-operative program for this quarter. This is a scholarship program which is set up in such a way as to allow a student to pay his schooling expenses as well as gain valuable training and experience while in school. In order to participate in the program, a student must have

Betty Darby: Just bum around!

Rebecca Murphey: Get my convertible out—which I haven't got.

James Oliver: Feel more attracted to the opposite sex.

Doyle Harrison: Just wanting to get out—of all of it!

Jimmy Freeman: Makes me want to go home and go fishing.

Ray Clark: Flies getting on my mustache! Back hurts!

Frank Caldwell: Makes me want to go on a picnic.

Bill Stricklin: This is the time of the year when my thoughts lightly turn to what the little girls have been thinking all winter.

Jane Ann Greeson: Wanting to play tennis.

Thomas McAnulty: Not studying—get a date!

Suzie Brudgely: Love sick for my soldier boy.

Bobby Kilburn: Going for a swim!

Tom Parnell: Makes me want to study all the time.

Don Alford: Heart flutter!

Betty Giles: Wanting to get out of the swimming pool and on the tennis courts.

Kate Dean: Wanting to get out of the swimming pool and on the football field.

a 2.5 average and maintain a 2.0 to remain on the program.

Rex Lewis is working for Chastation Engineering in Chattanooga. This is Lewis' first year to Co-op.

Another first quarter man is John Neil with TVA at Muscle Shoals, Alabama.

Billy J. Coleman went to Magnolia Petroleum Corporation in Texas.

Working with Aluminum Company of America for the first quarter is R. Jerry Barber in Alcoa.

Bobby Joe White is in Oak Ridge with the Union Carbide Nuclear Company.

J. L. Barnett went to Jackson, Tenn., to work with the Jackson Electric System.

Southern Bell Telephone Company of Jackson was chosen by Manley Siler.

William Smith and John Drumwright are with the Southern Bell Telephone Company of Memphis.

Ralph Highman is in Memphis with the Hunter Fan Company.

Robert Bedwell is working at International Harvester in Memphis.

William Thornton went to Huntsville, Alabama, with Redstone Arsenal.

Sophomores returning to their jobs are:

Steven Coleman with Kimberly-Clark Corp. in Memphis.

Charles Grissom with Middle Tennessee Electric Co-operative at Murfreesboro.

Gerald Bishop with Southern Railroad in Washington, D. C.

James Major with Florence Stove Works in Lewisburg, Tennessee.

Tony Ross with Fischer Steel in Memphis.

Lowell Fields with Redstone Arsenal in Huntsville, Alabama.

Robert Bruer with Memphis Light, Gas and Water in Memphis.

## Fashions and Fads

By ELEANOR GRESHAM

Well, it looks as if spring has just about sprung, and if you don't feel it in your bones, just take a look around the campus, and you'll see plenty of evidences. The trees are beginning to bud out, the grass is getting long enough to be mowed, the tennis courts are flooded with energetic players, there's a bird chirping outside your window on that morning you don't have an eight o'clock class, and the couples are beginning to pair off and just sit looking starry-eyed at each other—all these are signs of spring, the one time of the year there ought not to be classes, for one's mind is so full of so many things.

So many things include clothes for the fairer sex, and a few have already begun the attempt to wear their spring outfits. Those that haven't already donned their new outfits more than likely have their closets full of surprises, so the other afternoon I decided to go "closet-peeking," and there as everywhere saw signs of spring, and from the looks of some of the pretty outfits I'm glad that spring is coming at such a rapid pace.

Frilly and lacy as many of the spring flowers, but bringing to my mind a pink "hyacinth" is the pink cotton sissy shirt which Nancy Jo Doren has slacked away in her closets. It is styled like a man's shirt with a high collar and long sleeves finished with French cuffs, both being edged with matching pink cotton lace. The eye catching feature of Nancy Jo's blouse (or shirt) is the tucks. There are ten tiny tucks on each side of the center front, and they give a rhythmic look to her appearance. Nancy Jo also had another blouse tucked in one of her drawers. It is one of the plain sleeveless blouses with a convertible collar which are always popular with all the girls. The tiny pearl buttons sprinkled down the front were of matching robin's egg blue.

And speaking of birds, Kay Pritchett will be pert and sassy as the flightiest of birds when she steps out in her new suit of navy dacton shantung. The fitted jacket features two-inch bands around the bottom, at the neck, and at the bottom of the three quarter-length sleeves. Ten navy buttons march from the neck, which features a peep of white chiffon and a diamond-shaped rhinestone pin on the left, to the band at the bottom, which includes a prissy tailored bow in the center back. Another bow is at the head of the tiny center part of the straight skirt. The skirt is also quite different, for there is a three-inch tuck around the bottom. Kay will be "spring-ing" this suit just anytime.

They say that in the spring a young man's fancy turns to thoughts of love, and I think that romancing is what Gayle Williams had in mind when she planned her new spring outfit of white linen with a plaid-effect created by the pink threads woven in. This sheath dress with an empire waist has a rounded neck displaying soft pleats in front, and although there are no sleeves, the shoulder line is quite far out. The straight skirt is darted for a perfect fit, and the double inverted pleat in center back is just the thing for Gayle to really "kick up her heels" this spring.

Although there's no kicking, there's plenty of running and exercise in a game of tennis, and that's

just what Harriet Lavenue is prepared for in her royal blue twill shorts, with a line of white chain stitching down each side and also edging the band. With these shorts, Harriet's favorite is a shirt of a cotton print with tiny hands, in black, fuchsia, blue, and gray, pointing in all directions. Buttoning up the front, the blouse includes long sleeves which get an even better tan (another accessory for spring outfits)!

Also popular for tennis fever, strolling, those "ever-loving" picnics, and just goofing off (a prevalent sign of spring) are Bermuda shorts. Helen Smythe owns a gay pair of a Scot plaid that you could see from here to Scotland. They are of a red, green, and white plaid and with them she wears bright red flats. Black is also a popular color for "mudders," and that's another place that Janice Nowell really comes in there.

I'm certain you couldn't miss Norma Schwam or Betty Sample in their spring outfits if they were to "come in there sideways" or in any other fashion. Wearing the popular skirt and blouse combination, Norma selected tiny pleats for her full skirt of cotton with a dark background for a make-believe town in bright shades of olive green, rust and gold sprinkled with white. To make everyone sit up and take notice Norma wears a contrasting blouse of gold cotton with short sleeves finished at the bottom with a band and buttoning down the front with round gold buttons. The convertible collar is also a nice feature, enjoyed by lots of gals nowadays. Whereas Norma's skirt was gathered full, Betty Sample's is gathered full, emphasizing her tiny waist. The bright cotton is of bright orange and also features a border print in gay colors; only I think this clown must be over in Venice. Betty wears a white blouse with her skirt and tops it off with an orlon cardigan of the same bright orange. She looks like the spring sunshine after an April shower as she trips across the campus in this gay and becoming outfit.

Although the signs of spring are just now beginning to be seen here and there, there's one thing for sure—spring's on its way and it's going to be in a mighty big way this year. Keep your eyes open, and I'll guarantee you'll be seeing lots of new Fashions and Fads just real soon, more evidences that "Spring has sprung."

### Kroll Talks To Knoxville Teachers

Harry Harrison Kroll spoke at the Knoxville Teachers League on April 9, at Park Junior High School. The subject of Mr. Kroll's talk was "Books for Young Readers."

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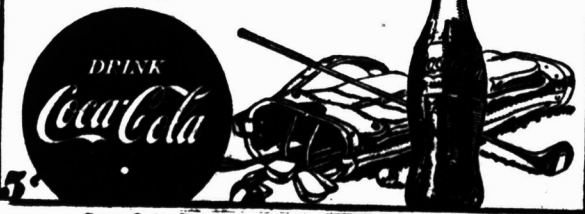
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## Home Economics Banquet In Fulton Greatly Enjoyed

On Friday night, March 29, 74 Home Economics Club members, their guests and faculty members enjoyed the annual Home Economics Banquet at Smith's in Fulton, Kentucky.

The invocation was given by Dean Meek followed by the welcome by Joyce Bizzelle, first vice-president. After recognition of the faculty, Martha Phillips, president, revealed the officers in the club for the year 1957-58. They are: Joyce Bizzelle, president; L. W. Walker, first vice-president; Martha Thorne, second vice-president; Sarah Montgomery, secretary; Linda Ross, treasurer; Gayle Williams, ASC representative; and Nancy Jo Doran, reporter. Following the recognition of the officers, a small gift was presented to Miss Dorothy Reams, secretary of the Home Economics Department, for her loyalty and devoted service to everyone in the department.

Joyce Owen, a senior, sang a vocal number, "Mighty Like a Rose," accompanied by Eleanor Gresham, a sophomore.

One of the highlights of the evening was the presentation of the Home Economics favorite boy and girl. These honors went to Pat Kirk and Billy Gossett. For a person to be qualified for this honor, they must take an active part in club activities, maintain a 2.5 average, and they must not have held the honor before.

A \$25 scholarship was awarded to Marie Wilson to be deposited to her account next fall quarter. She was chosen from a number of applicants who wrote a short letter on some reasons the money was needed to continue their education. The money for this scholarship was earned at the calendar and cookie sale fall quarter. Also a gift, for the first time was given to Marilyn Hancock Young for her 100% attendance to all Home Economics club meeting her four years at UTMB.

The speaker for the evening was Mr. Cavit Cheshier, former faculty member and student at UTMB. Mr. Cheshier gave an informative and inspiring talk on "Looking Forward" with emphasis placed on education and the meaning it holds for each person.

## Freeman Hall Social Held At Gardner

A huge flagstone fireplace framed the scene of the Delta Phi Delta Spring Social, Friday, March 22, at the Gardner Community Center. A large number joined in dancing and cards during the evening. Some even knew a few card tricks to exhibit for the entertainment of their friends.

Hotdogs and marshmallows roasted over the coals helped fill the empty stomachs, but a few questioned the cooking ability of some of their friends, never realizing that the flames got rather warm after a short time. One of the highlights of the party was watching the boys pitch in and help with the clean-up detail. The flames died, and as they faded so did the night, thus ending a pleasant evening and a successful party.



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## Student Wives Club Has March Banquet

By BARBARA NORMAN

The Student Wives Club had a delightful banquet at the Brown Derby in Fulton, Kentucky, on March 7. This event climaxed a quarter of work and interesting activities for the club. Seventeen members were present, and after a delicious meal, the group enjoyed playing Bingo.

On March 18, the regular bi-monthly meeting of the club was held in the Student Activities Building. The newly-elected officers presided over the meeting. They are as follows: President, Nancy Hampton; Vice-President, Peggy Counce; Secretary, Becky McCrory; Treasurer, Julia Thomas; Reporter, Barbara Norman; and Parliamentarian, Virginia Chapman.

It was decided we would hold a picnic supper for the wives and their families later in the spring. After the business meeting we enjoyed playing cards and visiting.

The next meeting is April 2, and an interesting program is in store. If you are eligible, do come! You'll enjoy it!

## YF&H CLUB PLANS TO HAVE HAYRIDE

By JIMMY MATTHEWS

The Young Farmers and Home-makers Club of UTMB are making plans for a social event, which should be of great interest to everyone who enjoys hayrides.

The various committee groups met on March 19. The recreation committee made plans for a hayride, but a date has not yet been set. The group is to leave the Greenhouse. From here, we plan to leave in Mr. McMahan's truck and go to Gardner Community Center for a marshmallow and wiener roast. Following this, games, dances, etc., will be conducted.

Members, or people interested in becoming members, who wish to go, please contact some of the officers, so we will know the number to provide for.

## ROTC Prepares For Federal Inspection

By WAYNE SMITH

The ROTC unit is preparing for the formal Federal inspection on April 11. The unit will also present an exhibition drill before the visitors at Open House. This leaves us only one regularly scheduled drill period to prepare for these events and it seems that extra drilling is a necessity.

Sergeant Sanders has recently received the rifle team's results in the Third Army Area Intercollegiate and Interscholastic Small-Bore Rifle Match. Taking high scoring honors for the UTMB team was Richard Spelling Smith who fired 708 out of a possible 800. Others of the top five were, respectively: Dan Shanklin, 695; Charles Lewis, 694; Charles Jennings, 679; Wayne Tansil, 677. The team will suffer a loss in Smith. He completed his ROTC basic course last quarter.

## Business Club Hears Speakers

On March 18 the Business Club and their guests enjoyed a special treat as they listened to Dr. E. K. McMahon, manager of Technical Sales Development for the Tennessee Product and Chemical Corporation. Dr. McMahon spoke about his work and gave some very useful advice to those present. His talk was preceded by a very enjoyable meal.

The Business Club was host April 8 to Mr. Julius M. Lopez, Special Agent in charge of the F.B.I. in Memphis.

Since the establishment of the Federal Bureau of Investigation in 1908, it has progressed to be the best investigation Agency in the world. Its files contain case after case of intrigue and daring.

Mr. Lopez told of some of these cases and related some of his personal experiences. His talk gave a fascinating "behind the scenes" picture of the F.B.I. and was well-received by the large number present. A number of students and faculty members, in addition to Business Club members, heard Mr. Lopez.



Current production of Vanguard Theater is the modern comedy, **THE CURIOUS SAVAGE**. Shown in rehearsal are (left to right): Bobby Holcomb, Nancy Peeples, Jimmy Townsend, Mary C. Carrington (Mrs. Savage), Mary Grabel, and Jimmy Dallas.

## Married Students Are Here To Stay

Many Attending  
School At UTMB

Married students are with us to stay and universities must plan for adequate permanent housing for these young people and their families, according to V. L. Kretschmer, director of housing at the University of Illinois. Results of a survey of family housing facilities made of 12 large Midwestern universities, by the University of Illinois, indicated that by 1965, married students will constitute 21.6 per cent of student enrollment.

He listed these factors which the survey showed will continue to cause increases in married student enrollments: the fact that the veteran showed that marriage and school could be successfully combined; draft age men students of ten marry during school rather than wait through the two-year period of armed forces service; social relationships between young people are developing at an earlier age and earlier marriages result; a higher level of prosperity permits parents to give financial aid to their married student sons and daughters.

There are plenty of campus jobs to provide financial help when parents can't help; and an increasing number of students are entering graduate school — and graduate students show a higher percentage of married students. Finally, because of teacher shortage, institutions will be forced to rely more and more upon graduate students, many of whom are married, to help carry the teaching load.

None of the 12 universities participating in the survey indicated they believed they felt an obligation to furnish family housing facilities for permanent members of the faculty and staff. These members should integrate with the local community, they felt.

But more of the institutions, according to the survey, were constructing family housing for married students because existing facilities of acceptable standards were not available to students at prices they could afford; and because private builders could not provide adequate new facilities matched to students' means.

According to available figures, there are about seventy-five married couples of which one member, and sometimes both husband and wife, are enrolled at UTMB. At present there are 38 apartments available to these married students on our campus. Twenty-six of these are in the Westview Terrace project and the remaining 12 are in the Grove project. In addition to these, approximately 25 couples have apartments in town, while 10 commute.

The majority of those students involved are satisfied with housing conditions, and the University feels that there is no urgent need for additional facilities here in the immediate future.

## Wedding Bells Ring For Present, Former UTMB Students

Wedding bells will be ringing for Doris Harris in June. Miss Harris is a student here at UTMB and is in Home Economics. Miss Harris will wed Jerry Franklin Watson, who also was a student of UTMB. Mr. Watson was a member of the Liberal Arts Club and was an honor student. Both live in Martin. After the wedding the couple will live in Memphis, where Mr. Watson will continue his studies in medicine at the University of Tennessee, College of Medicine.

Dora Sylvia Smith is another bride-to-be in June. She is a student at UTMB and is in Business Administration. Miss Smith lives in Martin.

Michael Hearn Stanford of Martin was wed to Miss Priscilla Cowan of Nashville March 16. Mr. Stanford attended UTMB for two years and is now a student at Alabama Polytechnic Institute. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene H. Stanford. Mr. Gene Stanford is the bursar at UTMB.

A former "Miss UTMB," Patsy Hill, was wed to Edwin Gordon Burdette March 23 in the Methodist Chapel in Martin. Mr. Burdette was a student at UTMB also, and is from Martin. Both are graduates of University of Tennessee, Knoxville. They are making their home in Memphis.

## NU KAPPA NU GROUP INSTALLS MEMBERS

An impressive ceremony built around the theme "Love," formally installed the new members of Nu Kappa Nu last Thursday night. The program was opened with the reading of the thirteenth chapter of Corinthians by Sandra Roush. A selected reading, "Goodness and Decency Belong on Top," was given by Betty Sample. Betty Privette sang two selections accompanied by Helen Cherry. Her songs were "Daddy's Little Girl" and "I Believe."

The president of Nu Kappa Nu, Barbara Brooks, then gave a short talk on friendship and co-operation. She stressed that these two qualities would be even more important next year when we are able to occupy the new women's dorm.

Each year, two council members are appointed to serve for the next year. This year Janice Nowell and Ann Coltrain were selected to represent Reed Hall next year.

The program closed with the issuing of certificates of membership and a prayer by Mrs. Bessie Clifton, dorm mother. Refreshments were then served.

## The 'Lowe-Down' By Lowe

Hello, welcome to a new column in the VOLETTE. My name is Kellie Lowe, and for the remainder of the year, I'll be bringing you the news from the music and drama departments of UTMB. If, after reading this first column you have any suggestions or tid-bits of information that you think would help the column, I will welcome you with open arms.

Most of the recent activity in the Vanguard Theater has centered around their spring quarter presentation, "The Curious Savage." Rehearsals have been under way since the last of March. A very interesting play, with a little bit of everything: tragedy, comedy, altruism, and best of all, a very fine cast. Vague plans have even been made to take "The Curious Savage" on the road after mid-term exams, possibly to Jackson, Tennessee.

"The Curious Savage," one would think, would probably be some sort of Tarzan and the Apes jungle sort of thing with perhaps "The Ubangi Stamp" for a theme. In reality, it is a very sensitive drama centered around "The Cloisters," a private nursing home for mental patients. After seeing this play, you'll probably wonder who should be on the inside of asylums, and who on the outside.

The music department, since last quarter, has been rehearsing for their "Cross Country Chorus." This is not merely another choral concert, but a full fledged musical production, so be sure to make it to the gym Tuesday night, April 9.

With as much work put into one production as has been put into the "Cross Country Chorus," it couldn't be anything less than a top-notch performance. It features musical selections ranging all the way from "Sourwood Mountain," a hillbilly ballad, to the sophisticated "Lullaby of Broadway." Many of the students got a short preview of the "Cross Country Chorus" during Open House, when the chorus performed a few selections from the show.

Well, that is not even the beginning of a description of the activities over in the Music-Theater building. It's rather hard to put on paper, the wonder times had while rehearsing, after rehearsals, and (believe it or not) during performance. I'll see you again next issue with a little more of the "Lowe-Down" by Lowe.

## AG CLUB ELECTS SPRING OFFICERS

The Ag Club held its regular meeting March 4 in ABL 200.

The main item of business was the election of officers for the Spring Quarter. People elected to these offices are as follows: President, Paul Ivy; Vice-President, Charles Sellers; Secretary, Jimmy McKee; Treasurer, Bobby Smothers; Reporter, Gene Wimberley; Sergeant-at-Arms, Robert Patrick; and Critic, Jimmy Kindle.

The recipient of the door prize was L. B. Marshall.

The meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served afterwards.

## Campus News

Spring denotes the time when flowers begin to bloom, and so does romance. Several UTMB students have been recent victims of this "Spring fever."

GENE WIMBERLEY is playing ball again: Did he reach first base this time? You'll have to ask MIRT DORSET about that.

JIMMY KINDLE has been going to Reed Hall an awful lot, lately. Wonder if FRANKIE WRIGHT has anything to do with it.

Some girls will be sporting new Easter dresses in the near future, but ELIZABETH WALKER will be sporting a new sparkling diamond.

The word is out that DAVID FITZGERALD is trying to get a private telephone hookup. After all, not everyone gets a long distance call every night.

Some of the girls of Freeman were very distressed when they saw SHERRY VERNON making baby clothes. Later realizing that she was in T & C.

JIMMY KERR, what did BILLY McCULLOUGH find in your dresser drawer?

It is nice to be a Southern Belle, but this Southern accent is giving BEVERLY FLETCHER trouble in MR. SWAIN's play. CAROL LEA is having a hard time, while relating all of Brownsville's news, explaining that an oil truck ran into a "coat-house."

ROOKER is taking his seat at Freeman playing Rook. We wonder if it is the Rook he is after or the girls, since he is always found in the midst of girls.

MR. YOKUM may have to order new plants. MARK FARRAR enjoys giving KITTY COOK "sensitive plants" to entertain herself when he is not around.

For the first time in the history of UTMB, baseball is an organized Spring Quarter sport. Is it interfering with your brush time, GLENDA and JANICE?

Between working, attending classes, and HULANE BROOKS, ROBERT FISHER has been pretty busy lately. A new case seems to be in the makings.

In a Rook game, you learn by experience where the Rook is when you lead with the fourteen of trumps. Right, BILLY GOSSETT?

It has been discovered that the scars on the piano at old Reed Hall have been caused by teeth marks. Evidence has led authorities to believe BOBBY BEAVER had a definite part in this since HELEN CHERRY's mantle has teeth marks of the same calibre. JANICE MITCHELL thinks FREDDIE's car is just about the most to say the least.

Freeman Hall is very lucky to have a newcomer among them, a sophomore Home Ec student named NOLLA HOBBS.

If anyone notices CHARLOTTE TAYLOR gazing around the campus as if she is looking for someone, don't get alarmed. She is only looking for the "Tear Jerker."

DAN JONES seems to be appearing at Freeman quite frequently, since his steady, GLENDA ABBOT, is back in school.

"Romeo, Romeo, where art thou," (in LARRY McLAUGHLIN's shell).

It is great to have all the Home Management seniors back in the dorms. The dorms have again returned to normal.

ROSS WALKER has returned again to Reed Hall and relatives, Granddaughter BROOKSIE and Sister PEGGY. He has been seen lately with ALMA HALL.

It seems lately that NICK THORNTON doesn't need his airplane to float around in the clouds. Could CAROLYN McCORKLE have wings?

PAT KIRK has proved to all that she's in the "mad race" by coming back Spring Quarter with that essential piece of jewelry, the engagement ring. It encourages these girls on the loose that "where there's a will, there's a way."

How did COLTRAIN get her new nickname?

If a boy tells you to get dressed up and attend some "important business," better take heed from BARBARA THORNTON. It may be your last chance for matrimony. (She learned her lesson the hard way.)

Wonder who ELEANOR GRESHAM was referring to when she said, "He's the cutest, sweetest thing, and he can even work the puzzles in the paper." Could it be a certain "A" dorm boy has taken over?

If you hear a roar in the night, don't be alarmed? It's only BROOKSIE giving her mating call.

ROBERT MULLINKS has been complaining about the heavy load he has had to carry this year. Could he be including the hardship placed upon him by RACHEL ABERNATHY, the Maid of Cotton, and uh-uh-uh—oh yes, INEZ KIRK.

Several students took advantage of the opening of the Sunset Drive-In, especially JOHN CRENSHAW and DONNA JOHNSTON, who were reported to have been the first to arrive and the last to leave. It must have been a grand opening.

JAN VON ALMEN and ANN STANFORD are getting ready for their marriage? They have taken up housekeeping in the bathroom.

JANICE DARNELL just can't stay off those love triangles. She should spend more time working geometry.

PATSY JONES has been seen "kating" with a UTMB alumnus, C. D. WHITLOCK.

Reed Hall has a new member, JOYCE THOMASON. JOHN BAKER has been around every night to make her feel real welcome.

## New Radio Station Here Has Openings

Several vacancies are open for students on WCMT, Martin's new radio station. This news was given the VOLETTE Saturday by J. T. Sudbury of the new station.

Mr. Sudbury stated that there are openings for students who would like to do part-time work as announcers. He added that the station is also looking for a college student who has a 1st class radio operator's license. Any students interested in these positions are asked to write WCMT, Box 483, Martin.

The new station also plans to carry a number of programs and news releases from UTMB, Mr. Sudbury stated.

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# UTMB SPORTS

## Boost the Vols



Batteries for the baseball season will come from this corps of pitchers and catchers. Rear row (left to right): Ivy, Gobel, Burton, Overton, Reasons, and Shanklin, pitchers; front row: Davis and Bruff, catchers. Burton and Davis will be the battery in the opener this week and in the home opener April 18.

## Varsity Baseball Team Announced By Coach

Members of UTMB's varsity baseball squad were announced last Friday by Coach Ed M. Chenette. A total of 15 will be issued uniforms and four or five others will also be carried on the squad as reserves, Coach Chenette stated.

Named to the squad are: Joe Burton, pitcher; Dan Shanklin, pitcher; Jackie Reasons, pitcher; James Davis, catcher; Maurice Fields, catcher-outfielder; Jerry Riddick, first baseman; Bill Crossnoe, first baseman-pitcher; Bob Joyner, second baseman; Coy Thomas, third baseman; Dean Huskey, third baseman-shortstop; Bill Joyner, shortstop; Jim Tyson, outfielder; William Penn, outfielder; Sonny Galbreath, outfielder; and Bill Rushing, outfielder-pitcher. Reserves are Don Bennett, outfielder; Gobel, pitcher-outfielder; Bruff, catcher; Freddie Hummel, infielder-outfielder; and Ivy, pitcher.

The coach stated that although this is the team that will open the season, it is subject to changes if players listed as reserves or others who are out show more improvement than the regular squad as the season progresses.

The team has been handicapped in its workouts by the bad weather during most of March. The weather also hurt as it prevented building up of the infield at Harmon Field, Coach Chenette said. Through last week, the squad has been able to have only one workout on the regular infield. Despite the weather, the team has practiced outside much of the time and several intra-squad games have been played on an improvised infield.

The weather has been just as bad for other schools, it was pointed out, but at the same time these other schools do have an advantage in that they already have a field that could be used when the weather permitted. In addition, Coach Chenette pointed out that all other teams have a nucleus of veterans who have played college ball in previous seasons.

The team opens the season April 9 with a game at Freed-Hardeman and on the 11th will play at Paducah. The first home game will

## Spring Grid Practice Is In 20-Day Session

By VERNON ADCOCK and TOMMY RICHARDSON  
Spring football drills began Monday afternoon under the direction of Coaches J. C. Henson, Vincent Vaughn, and Robert Carroll. Practices are to continue for twenty days. A number of excellent high school prospects are expected to try out each day.

Reporting on opening day drills were twenty returning lettermen from last fall. These include:

Billy Smith, G. Bolivar; Don Alphon, E. Bolivar; Bruce Vestal, C. Jackson; Bobby Fowler, FB, Ridgely; Hugh Lashlee, E-HB, Camden; Roy Orr, E, Camden; Bobby Kendrick, HB, Brownsville; D. T. Coppedge, T, Jackson; Bobby Goodman, T, Tiptonville; Monte Bayless, QB, Bruceton;

Buddy McLaughlin, HB, Mumfords; James Rinehart, G, Selmer; Joe Lane, QB, Springfield; Lige Turner, C, Savannah; James Nutt, G, Waynesboro; Charles Davis, E, Frayzer; Glenn Dyer, G, Petersburg; Charles Youngerman, T, Lexington; Ray Pollard, T, Whitehaven; James Graves, G, Trenton.

Boistering the squad are four transfers from Murray State College, two of whom played and lettered here in 1955. They are: Tommy Richardson and Jimmy Hicks, tackle and center, respectively, from Waverly. Fred Clark and Louis Burgess, guards, from Louisville, Kentucky, are the other two who transferred from Murray at the beginning of the spring quarter.

It appears that the weakest positions are end and halfback. With a successful spring practice, these weaknesses should be overcome.

Only three men were lost from last fall's starting eleven. Because of this, we are looking forward to a most successful season next year.

## UTMB STUDENTS RANK IN ACADEMY AWARD SWEEPSTAKES LIST

Don Hovis of Rives, a Veteran at UTMB, was first prize winner of the Academy Award Sweepstakes at the Varsity Theater. He received a one-year pass to the Varsity.

Jerry Groves from Jackson won the 11th prize, which was a \$2.50 coupon book.

Rena Faye Hunt from Alamo won the 12th prize, which was also a \$2.50 coupon book.

## Sports Highlights

### A Final Look at Basketball

With a record of 7 wins and 13 losses, this year's basketball squad fell below the marks compiled by the outstanding teams of the past three seasons. However, the fact remains that this was a rebuilding season and from that view, the won and lost record is hardly a true index of the team and its accomplishments.

Coach Burdette did not have a single regular from his previous great squads and so was forced to start from scratch with only two players, Young and Kelley, who had seen any practical amount of varsity service. Freshmen players, no matter what their native ability, take time to get adjusted to the change from high school to college ball. Any fair-minded person will admit that these freshmen showed much ability and should provide the nucleus of a fine team next season.

Young came into his own this season and played fine ball while captaining the team. He was second high scorer for the season. Kelley, the other holdover to win a starting berth, also played good ball and finished third in scoring.

The two freshmen to see the greatest amount of action were Jones and Rucker, while Vowell, Hart, and Wilhaucks, all freshmen, and Gregory, a sophomore not out his first year, saw almost equal amounts of action. Jones literally rewrote the freshman scoring book, his 381 points far topping the previous frosh mark of 248 points by Bob Kirk. Jones also set all-time records in free-throws made and attempted for both a season and a single game.

Rucker was the regular center and after starting somewhat slowly came on with a great rush the final month or so of the season. Vowell did not score with Jones or Rucker but was probably the top rebounder of the team. Hart and Gregory showed great promise as did Wilhaucks.

This year's team did not break records right and left as had happened in each of the past two seasons. However, two new team marks were set and one was tied. The 121 points against Trenton Independents in the opening game of the season was a new mark against any team, breaking the mark of 109 points set against Trenton the previous year. The 54 field goals in this same game broke the old mark of 52 also set against Trenton. The 34 free throws made in the 92-90 win over Freed-Hardeman tied the mark set against Bethel the previous year.

During the season UT scored 1400 points to 1387 for the opposition. This gave the Vols an average of 77.77 per game to the opponents' 77.05 points per game. UT made 579 field goals, had 527 free throw attempts and converted on 343. The all-time highs in these categories are 610, 551, and 388. The team's free-throw percentage was 65 percent compared to the all-time mark of 71 percent.

Individual scoring for the season is as follows:

	FG	FTA	FTM	PFT	PF	TP	APG
Jones	138	160	115	71	33	381	20.05
Young	87	97	75	77	56	249	13.10
Kelley	88	27	19	70	48	195	10.26
Rucker	74	78	45	57	56	193	10.15
Hart	42	50	33	66	28	117	6.15
Vowell	39	55	29	52	43	107	5.63
Gregory	41	26	15	57	21	97	5.10
Wilhaucks	28	12	2	16	18	58	3.62
Pipkin	16	14	5	38	26	37	2.84
Kirk	9	2	2	100	1	20	5.00
Browder	4	1	0	25	4	8	2.00
Overton	1	4	3	75	12	5	.71
Beecham	1	1	0	00	2	2	2.00
Sisk	1	1	0	00	0	2	2.00

KEY: FG—field goals; FTA—free throw attempts; FTM—free throws made; PFT—percentage free throws made; PF—personal fouls; TP—total points; APG—average points per game.

NOTE: Jones, Young, Kelley, Rucker, Hart, Vowell, and Gregory, 20 games; Wilhaucks, 16 games; Pipkin, 13 games; Kirk, Browder, 4 games; Overton, 7 games; Beecham, Sisk, 1 game.

## Physical Fitness Conference To Be Held Here

A Physical Fitness Conference for elementary school teachers and principals of Obion, Henry and Weakley counties will be held Thursday afternoon, April 18, at The University of Tennessee Martin Branch. High school health and physical education instructors are also being invited to attend.

The conference is one of a series being conducted over the state under the joint sponsorship of the State Department of Education, the Departments of Health and Physical Education of The University of Tennessee and the State Congress of Parents and Teachers. Prof. James C. Henson, physical education director at the Mar-

tin Branch, is conference chairman.

The purpose of the meeting is to give elementary teachers practical methods and materials on physical fitness.

The problem of physical fitness of elementary school children of Tennessee has been brought into sharp focus by a study completed recently under the auspices of the New York City Bellevue Medical Center. The study shows that on the basis of the internationally-developed Kraus-Weber tests, children in the United States do not compare favorably to children of European countries in physical strength and endurance.

Demonstrations with children will be used at the Martin Branch conference to show methods and techniques which can be used in the classroom to improve all-round physical fitness.

## Former Students Honored At U-T

A number of former UTMB students have made news recently at U-T, Knoxville. Tom Stewart of Nashville was recently elected chairman of big U-T's leading political party, the Victory Party. He was treasurer of the party before his election to the chairmanship. He is also on the Business Board, treasurer of Alpha Tau Omega, social fraternity, and treasurer of Delta Nu Alpha, a professional transportation fraternity. While at UTMB he was a member of the football team, member of the "T" Club, and vice-president of the Business Club.

A number of other UTMB students are also members of Alpha Tau Omega. They include Active: Jim Hoffius, Bill Sumrow, Chester Brown, Joe Moore, and Jim Stevens; and Pledges: Mac Pritchett, (Pledge Class President), Ralph Johnson, Richard King, Ed Sumrow, Leyton Wright, and Dan Robertson.

## ROY EUGENE HOPPER NOW TAKING NAVAL FLIGHT TRAINING

The Naval Aviation, Procurement Officer at the Memphis, Tennessee Naval Air Reserve Training Unit announced recently that Aviation Officer Candidate Roy Eugene Hopper of Route 2, Box 112, Cedar Grove, Tennessee, has received orders to Navy Flight Training. He reported to the "Annapolis of the Air" at Pensacola, Florida, on March 24.

Upon reporting to Pensacola he began 16 weeks of Pre-Flight training. Following successful completion of this phase he will be awarded a commission as an Ensign in the Naval Reserve. From Pre-Flight he will go to basic flight training where he will make his solo flight and receive many hours of instruction in formation flying, instruments, gunnery and bombing. From basic he will be transferred to an Advanced Training Unit at Memphis, Corpus Christi, Texas, or Hutchinson, Kansas, for advanced flying in operational aircraft of his choice. Successful completion of the advanced phase will win for him the coveted "Navy Wings of Gold." He will then be assigned to a Fleet Squadron for duty.

Aviation Officer Candidate Hopper is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Romie E. Hopper of Route 2, Box 112, Cedar Grove, Tennessee. He attended the University of Tennessee Martin Branch from June 1953 to June 1955 and transferred to the University of Tennessee at Knoxville in September 1955. At the University he received his B.S. degree in Business Administration on the 16th of this month. He is a member of Sigma Nu and Delta Nu Alpha Fraternities.

## NASHVILLE MAGAZINE WILL FEATURE UTMB

A feature story on UTMB is scheduled to appear in the Sunday magazine section of the Nashville Tennessean in the near future. The story will cover the college as a young, growing institution. There will also be a number of pictures in full color, including the front cover of the magazine.

Two members of the staff of the Tennessean spent two days on the campus last week taking color pictures and gathering material for the feature. Assigned to the story were Herman Eskew, reporter, and Eldred Reany, photographer.

## Intramurals

By HELEN CLAIRE CHERRY

The Freshman girls are giving the Sophomores a hard fight for high point honors. The top scorers so far are: Carolyn McCorkle, Red, 72; Harriette Lavenue, Black, 60; Nancy Stewart, Green, 51; Mirt Dorsett, Blue, 50; Betty Nelius White, 48; Betty Jo Curtis, Yellow, 47; Sarah Montgomery, Green, 47.

Jimmy Webb, Blue; Roy Orr, Orange; Kenneth Branon, Black; and Ray Pollard, Orange, are leading the scorers on the Freshmen men's side.

In mixed free throw, Manley Siler, Yellow, and Annette Conner of Brown team were champs. Ralph Mays, Brown, and Harriette Lavenue of Black were runners-up.

The Green team won the men's basketball tournament and blue was second. Sammy Bumpus of the Green team was high point man with blue team's Paul Ivy coming in second.

In women's basketball, the Brown team was first and Green was second. Jerrie Fugua, Orange team, and Nancy Stewart, Green, shared first and second places, respectively, in high point honors.

C. C. McCall, Blue team, came out in first place in the table tennis tournament, with Gerald Wheatley, Yellow, runner-up.

Bobby Williams, Orange, and Don Wilson, Green, were first and second place winners in the mixed checkers tournament.

Sue Pritchett of Blue team was champ in women's shuffleboard and Nancy Stewart of Green team was runner-up.

Jimmie Kendle and Linda Ross of the Black team and Jerry Lindsey and Marjorie O'Brien of the Brown team will play the final of mixed shuffleboard soon.

I just wanted to sort of summarize this past quarter's doings in the form of Intramurals. We really had a busy schedule—with Carnicus and everything like that going on. The participation didn't drop off a bit, and I'm sure the team captains were glad of that.

We have another busy quarter ahead of us. There will be mixed badminton, women's badminton, men's cross country run, men's handball, softball, swimming, and mixed horseshoes. Watch the bulletin boards and keep yourself posted on the results of the tournaments and coming events.

### TEAM STANDINGS

	This Time	Last Year
March 20, 1957		
Green	955	Yellow 684
Blue	805	Red 636
Brown	786	Brown 599
Black	696	Green 548
Orange	657	Blue 537
Yellow	633	Orange 515
White	528	White 494
Red	466	Black 490

## Attention Juniors And Seniors

Notice the new trophies in the trophy case to be given to the man and woman who scores the most intramural points during his or her last two years of school.

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